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Rats found dead.....	462
Rats trapped.....	576
Poisons placed.....	33, 850

SUMMARY OF WORK DONE IN OAKLAND FROM NOVEMBER 30 TO DECEMBER 31,
INCLUSIVE.

Sick inspected.....	1, 228
Dead inspected.....	197
Plague, among dead inspected.....	1
Premises inspected.....	11, 581
Houses disinfected.....	68
Houses destroyed.....	1
Nuisances abated.....	1, 567
Rats found dead.....	574
Rats trapped.....	10, 326
Bounty rats.....	627
Poisons placed.....	193, 544
Notices served.....	370
Ships inspected.....	150
Ships fumigated.....	21
Certificates signed.....	68
Rats examined.....	47
Autopsies held.....	11

Doctor Blue further reports:

February 10: One new case of plague, a Californian. The diagnosis was confirmed by bacteriological examination February 8.

Report from Seattle, Wash.—Plague-prevention work.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Glover reports, January 25. Week ended January 25:

Dead persons inspected.....	1
Rats delivered and cremated at laboratory.....	1, 305
Necropsies on rats.....	1, 271
Rats proven infected with plague to date ^a	5
Pounds of poison placed.....	160
Vessels fumigated.....	7

STATISTICAL REPORTS OF MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY, STATES AND CITIES
OF THE UNITED STATES—UNTABULATED.

CONNECTICUT—*New London*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 20,200. Total number of deaths, 24, including 1 from scarlet fever. Cases: Diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, measles 15, and scarlet fever 10.

Stamford.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 20,000. Number of deaths not reported. Cases: Diphtheria 2, enteric fever 3, measles 3, whooping cough 1, and tuberculosis 1.

FLORIDA—*Pensacola*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 22,256. Total number of deaths, 47, including enteric fever 1, diphtheria 2, measles 1, and 2 from tuberculosis. Cases of contagious diseases not reported.

^a Date of finding of last rat proven infected with plague, January 7, 1908.

ILLINOIS—*Kankakee*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 18,500. Total number of deaths not reported. Cases: Diphtheria 3, and scarlet fever 2.

Quincy.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 43,000. Total number of deaths, 70, including diphtheria 1, and 10 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 17, scarlet fever 1, and enteric fever 2.

INDIANA—*Anderson*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 25,398. Total number of deaths, 16, including 4 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 2, scarlet fever 1, and tuberculosis 4.

IOWA—*Burlington*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 30,000. Total number of deaths 36, including 2 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 3, measles 13, whooping cough 4, and tuberculosis 1.

KANSAS.—Month of December, 1907. Reports to the State board of health show as follows: Diphtheria, 158 cases, 21 deaths; enteric fever, 111 cases, 31 deaths; measles, 43 cases, no deaths; scarlet fever, 108 cases, 5 deaths; smallpox, 205 cases, 1 death; tuberculosis, 91 cases, 58 deaths.

Contagious diseases were distributed in the cities as follows:

Coffeyville.—Diphtheria, 2 cases, 1 death; enteric fever, 1 case.

Kansas City.—Diphtheria, 15 cases, 1 death; enteric fever, 25 cases, 4 deaths; scarlet fever, 11 cases; smallpox, 4 cases; measles, 3 cases; tuberculosis, 19 cases, 6 deaths.

Leavenworth.—Diphtheria, 5 cases; enteric fever, 4 cases, 1 death; scarlet fever, 2 cases; tuberculosis, 2 cases, 2 deaths.

Parsons.—Enteric fever, 4 cases; diphtheria, 1 case; smallpox, 11 cases; scarlet fever, 1 case; measles, 2 cases; tuberculosis, 3 cases, 3 deaths.

Topeka.—Diphtheria, 11 cases, 2 deaths; measles, 1 case; smallpox, 2 cases; scarlet fever, 7 cases; tuberculosis, 1 case, 1 death.

KENTUCKY—*Henderson*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 17,500. Total number of deaths 31, including enteric fever 1, and 3 from tuberculosis. Cases: Enteric fever 5, measles 28, and tuberculosis 5.

MINNESOTA—*St. Paul*.—Month of December, 1907. Estimated population, 210,000. Total number of deaths reported to the department of health, 186, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 5, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 1, and 29 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 46, scarlet fever 46, and smallpox 37.

Stillwater.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 12,435. Total number of deaths, 19, including measles 1 and 3 from tuberculosis. Cases: Measles 5 and scarlet fever 1.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—*Concord*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 32. Cases: Diphtheria 7 and measles 1.

Franklin.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 6,000. Total number of deaths, 7, including 1 from tuberculosis. Cases: Tuberculosis 1.

NEW YORK—Rome.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 18,500. Total number of deaths, 48, including enteric fever 1 and 5 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 3, enteric fever 4, scarlet fever 3, measles 62.

Saratoga Springs.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 11,222. Total number of deaths not reported. Five deaths from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 3, enteric fever 1, and tuberculosis 1.

NORTH CAROLINA.—Month of December, 1907. Estimated population, 1,893,810. Reports to State board of health from 77 counties show as follows: Measles in 17 counties, whooping cough in 27 counties, scarlet fever in 16 counties, diphtheria in 25 counties, enteric fever in 39 counties, malarial fever in 1 county, and smallpox in 16 counties, viz: Alamanace, 17; Cabarrus, 36; Chowan, 7; Currituck, 2; Davidson, 2; Davie, 3; Edgecombe, 3; Forsyth, 17; Gaston, 4; Guilford, 61; Orange, 6; Perquimans, 1; Rockingham, 43; Rowan, 35; Wayne, 3, and Yadkin, 1.

Reports for the month from 20 towns having an aggregate population of 210,300—white, 127,450; colored, 82,850—show a total of 296 deaths—white, 140; colored, 156—including enteric fever 11, malarial fever 1, measles 1, whooping cough 2, and 38 from phthisis pulmonalis.

OHIO—Ironton.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 18,000. Total number of deaths, 14. No deaths from contagious diseases.

Zanesville.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 26,000. Total number of deaths, 37, including enteric fever 1 and 4 from tuberculosis. Cases: Enteric fever 12 and scarlet fever 7.

OREGON.—Month of November, 1907. Reports to the State board of health from 33 counties show as follows: Total number of deaths, 386, including diphtheria 11, enteric fever 23, measles 1, scarlet fever 11, and 24 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 91, enteric fever 57, measles 156, scarlet fever 105, smallpox 61, and tuberculosis 1.

Portland.—Month of December, 1907. Estimated population, 175,000. Total number of deaths, 144, including enteric fever 3, diphtheria 4, measles 1, and 16 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 49, enteric fever 14 (5 brought to city for treatment), measles 28, smallpox 5, whooping cough 4, and scarlet fever 9.

PENNSYLVANIA—Highspire.—Month ended January 27, 1908. Estimated population, 1,500. One death from tuberculosis reported. Cases: Diphtheria 1, scarlet fever 7, and tuberculosis 1.

New Castle.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 38,000. Total number of deaths, 51, including enteric fever 3, and 5 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 11, enteric fever 19, measles 29, scarlet fever 5, and whooping cough 2.

York.—Month of December, 1907. Estimated population, 49,000. Total number of deaths, 70, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 5, and 4 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 2, enteric fever 7, whooping cough 4, measles 36, and tuberculosis 2.

TEXAS—Fort Worth.—Month of December, 1907. Estimated population, 68,137. Total number of deaths reported 117. Cases: Diphtheria 3, enteric fever 1, measles 4, scarlet fever 2, and smallpox 45.

VIRGINIA.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of December, 1907, show as follows:

Diphtheria present in 25 counties; enteric fever in 51 counties; measles in 26 counties; scarlet fever in 11 counties; whooping cough in 39 counties; smallpox in 11 counties, and tuberculosis in 71 counties.

Smallpox in the United States as reported to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, December 28, 1907, to February 14, 1908.

For reports received from June 28, 1907, to December 27, 1907, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for December 27, 1907.

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Alabama:				
Mobile County	Jan. 1-14	9	And vicinity.
Mobile	Nov. 2-Feb. 2	37	.....
Total for State	46	Report for November received out of date. No cases in December.
Arizona:				
Bisbee	Nov. 14-Jan. 19	18	Jan. 18, 1 case in San Francisco Quarantine Station from ss. Mongolia.
Total for State .....	.....	18	.....
California:				
Berkeley	Dec. 15-21	1	
Los Angeles	Dec. 15-Jan. 25	64	.....
Oakland	Dec. 1-31	26	.....
Sacramento	Dec. 1-31	2	.....
San Diego	Dec. 1-31	1	.....
San Francisco	Dec. 15-Jan. 25	51	.....
Total for State .....	.....	145	.....
Colorado:				
Adams County	Nov. 1-30	6	
Bent County	Nov. 1-30	4	.....
Boulder County	Nov. 1-30	1	.....
Denver County (Denver) ..	Nov. 1-30	5	.....
Larimer County	Nov. 1-30	5	.....
Mesa County	Nov. 1-30	4	.....
Otero County	Nov. 1-30	10	.....
Prowers County	Nov. 1-30	43	.....
Pueblo County	Nov. 1-30	2	.....
Sedgwick County	Nov. 1-30	1	.....
Total for State .....	.....	81	.....